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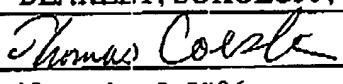
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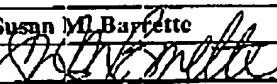
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In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 08, 2006, in connection with the above referenced patent application, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of the paper.